

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Christopher Murphy, *et al.*

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Examiner: Gitomer

Entitled:

**SUBSTRATES, DEVICES, AND METHODS FOR
CELLULAR ASSAYS**

**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION
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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Examiner Gitomer:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed February 4, 2010. A Request for Continued Examination and a two month extension of time fee accompanies this response. A The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees during the entire pendency of this application, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account 50-4302**, referencing Attorney Docket No. PLATYPUS-10969. This paragraph is intended to be a CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3). In accordance with the procedure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, please amend the above-identified application as follows: